



PATENT

CASE NO. 19665Y

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231In re application of: DURETTE, ET AL.Serial No. 09/086,327Filed May 28, 1998Group Art Unit 1653Examiner Lukton, DavidFor: Heterocyclic Amide Compounds as Cell Adhesion InhibitorsRECEIVED
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Independent Claims	* _____	-	*** <u>3</u> =	<u>0</u> X	\$84	= <u>0.00</u>
Multiple Dependent Claims					\$280 ****	= _____
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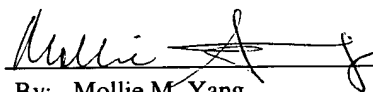
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Respectfully,



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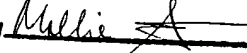
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

Sir:

There is an outstanding office action mailed on December 11, 2002 for which the period for response, having been extended by one month by the accompanying petition and fee, now expires April 11, 2003. Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendment and remarks.

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